

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

I.A.S. – Smt. Jayashree Watal, IAS (Retd) - Treating of overstayed period of foreign assignment with World Trade Organization, Geneva from 5.2.2006 to 29.2.2008 – Orders – Issued.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (SPECIAL.A) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 2886

Dated:12-06-2009

Read the following:-

- 1) G.O.Rt.No.3388, GA (Spl.A) dept., Dated: 26.6.2004.
- 2) Smt. Jayasree Watal, IAS, Representation dt. 6.2.2006.
- 3) State Govt's. Letter No.380/Spl.A/06-1, dt.1.5.2006.
- 4) State Govt's. Letter No.380/Spl.A/06-1, dt.1.10.2007.
- 5) From the Govt. of India, DoP&T, New Delhi Letter F.No.3/1/2001-FA(UN), Dated: 25.10.2007
- 5) From the Director, Govt. of India, DoP&T, New Delhi, Lr.No.AB.14017/30/2005-Estt@ Dt. 29.11.2006
- 7) Govt. Memo No. 596/SCD/A3/2007-1, Dt. 4.12.2007.
- 8) From Smt. Jayashree Watal, IAS, Repn. Dt. 19.12.2007.
- 9) From Smt. Jayashree Watal, IAS, Repn. Dt. 1.9.2007
- 10)G.O.Rt.No.1082, GA (Spl.A) dept., Dated: 25.2.2008.
- 11) State Govt.'s Letter No.1338/Special.A/A1/2007-1, Dated:25.2.2008.
- 12) From Smt. Jayashree Watal, IAS (Retd), Representation Dated: 17.4.2009.

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ORDER:-

In the reference 5th read above, the Government of India, Department of Personnel & Training have conveyed that Smt. Jayashree Watal, IAS cannot be granted permission beyond five years in view of the instructions contained in para 9 of the consolidated Instructions on foreign assignments and requested to initiate action against the Member of Service for overstaying on assignment as per the instructions contained in the reference 6th read above. Accordingly, the proposal for regularization of period of overstay from 5.2.2006 to 29.2.2008 in respect of Smt. Jayashree Watal, IAS on foreign assignment with the World Trade Organization, Geneva, was not approved by the Government of India. The orders of Government of India were communicated to the Member of Service vide reference 8th read above. In the reference 8th read above, she submitted her explanation to the Memo 7th read above. Meanwhile, in her representation 9th read above, Smt. Jayashree Watal, IAS informed that she wishes to take voluntary retirement w.e.f. 1.10.2007. After careful examination of the matter, the Government accepted the request of Smt. Jayashree Watal for taking up voluntary retirement. Accordingly, orders were issued vide G.O. 10th read above, permitting her to take up voluntary retirement with effect from 1.3.2008 FN. In the reference 11th read above, the Government of India were informed of the position stated supra. In the reference 12 read above, Smt. Jayashree Watal, IAS (Retd) has requested the Government to approve the entire period of foreign assignment from 5.2.2001 to 29.2.2008 for pension purpose.

2. According to point No.(iii) of the instructions issued by Government of India, Dept. of Personnel & Training vide O.M.No. AB.14017/30/2006-Estt.(RR) dated 29.11.2006, in the event of the officer overstaying for any reason whatsoever, he/she is liable to disciplinary action and other adverse civil/service consequences which will include that, the period of unauthorized overstay shall not count against service for the purpose of pension and that any increment due, during the period of unauthorized overstay shall be deferred with cumulative effect, till the date on which the officer rejoins his parent cadre. Accordingly, the period from 5.2.2006 to 29.2.2008 i.e. the period of unauthorized overstay shall not count against service for the purpose of pension and that any increment due, during the period of unauthorized overstay shall be deferred with cumulative effect, till the date on which the officer rejoins his parent cadre.

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3. After careful examination of the matter, Government have decided and accordingly orders that, the overstay period of foreign assignment with World Trade Organization, Geneva i.e., from 5.2.2006 to 29.2.2008 i.e. till the date of voluntary retirement, in respect of Smt. Jayashree Watal, IAS (Retd) shall not count against service for the purpose of pension and the increment due, during the above period shall be deferred with cumulative effect.

4. The Pay and Accounts Officer, Hyderabad, shall take further necessary action in the matter.

(BY AND ORDER IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

P.RAMAKANTH REDDY
CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Smt. Jayashree Watal, IAS (Retd.)
The Pay and Accounts Officer, Hyderabad.

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The Secretary to Govt. of India, DOP&T, North Block, New Delhi.
The P.S. to Prl.Secy./Spl.Secy./Addl.Secy. to C.M.
The P.S. to C.S./Prl.Secy.(Poll.)/Addl. Secy.(AIS).
The G.A.(SC.X/Spl.B/SC.D) Dept.
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